GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3910
ANSWERED ON:17.08.2001
AMENDMENT IN VOP CONTROL ORDER
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government are considering to amend the Vegetable Oil and Product (Development and Regulation) Control order with a view to facilitate more imports of crude palm oil following the Indian Prime Minister assuring the Malaysian authorities for such imports;

(b) if so, the main amendments being considered;

(c) the time by which it is likely to be introduced; and

(d) the extent to which this amendment would be beneficial to the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (S SREENIVASA PRASAD)

(a): No, Sir.

(b),(c)&(d): Do not arise.